

ANALYZING WORKPLACE INJURIES IN THE Public Administration Industry

To eliminate workplace injuries and fatalities, we must understand when, why and how they happen. Having these specific analytics on hand will allow businesses in hazardous industries to target problem areas and initiate solutions that will lower the number of workplace accidents.

The Public Administration sector is comprised of federal, state and local government agencies that administer, oversee and manage public programs and have executive, legislative or judicial authority over other institutions within a given area. These agencies also set policy, create laws, adjudicate civil and criminal legal cases, and provide for public safety and for national defense.

The highest number of injury incidents in Public Administration occurred:



at
Noon



on
Tuesday



in
January



on
Multiple
Body Parts



on
Males



within
30-39 Age
Group



in
St. Louis
County

Ranked #4 in Workplace Fatalities

11 out of 108 Fatalities are in Manufacturing ▶ 10.19%



Total Incidents in Top 5 Industries ▶ 56,952

Total Incidents in All Industries ▶ 91,724

62% of All Incidents are in Top 5 Industries

RANKED #4
IN HIGHEST NUMBER OF
INJURY INCIDENTS

Top Industries in Number of Injury Incidents

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| Health Care & Social Assistance | 17,748 |
| Manufacturing | 13,250 |
| Retail Trade | 10,759 |
| Public Administration | 8,911 |
| Trans. & Warehousing | 6,284 |

Top Industries in Lost Time Injury Incidents

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|---------------------------------|-------|
| Health Care & Social Assistance | 1,615 |
| Manufacturing | 1,083 |
| Public Administration | 1,036 |
| Trans. & Warehousing | 890 |
| Retail Trade | 756 |

RANKED #3
IN THE MOST LOST TIME
INJURY INCIDENTS

Total Lost Time Incidents in Top 5 Industries ▶ 5,380

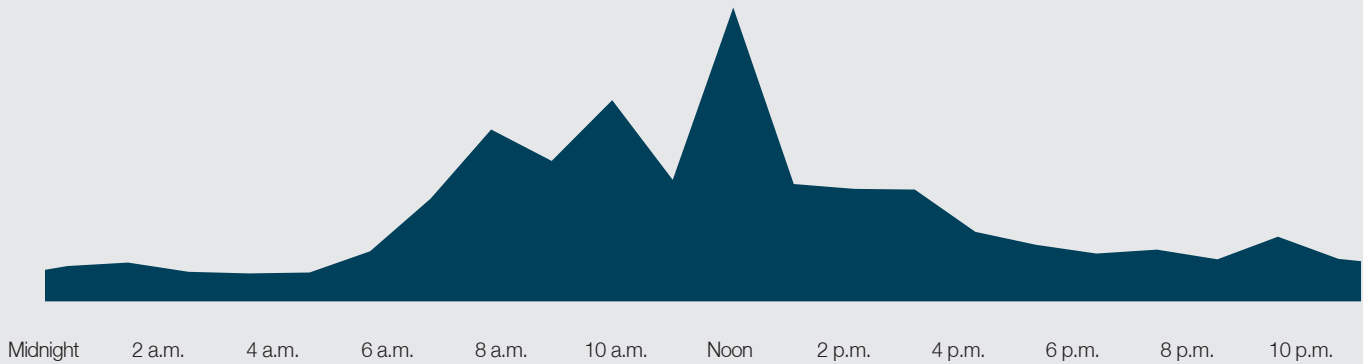
Total Lost Time Incidents in All Industries ▶ 7,908

68% of Lost Time Incidents are in Top 5 Industries



Injury Incidents by Time of Day

Most Public Administration incidents occurred during the noon hour.



Injury Incidents by Day of the Week

Most Public Administration incidents occurred on a Tuesday.

| S | M | T | W | T | F | S |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| 759 | 1,397 | 1,641 | 1,587 | 1,405 | 1,285 | 837 |



Injury Incidents by Month

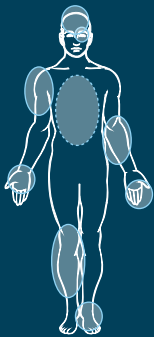
The highest number of Public Administration incidents occurred in January.

| JAN | FEB | MAR |
|-----|-----|-----|
| 946 | 752 | 676 |
| APR | MAY | JUN |
| 787 | 780 | 793 |
| JUL | AUG | SEP |
| 777 | 803 | 716 |
| OCT | NOV | DEC |
| 694 | 595 | 592 |



Top 10 Injury Incidents by Body Part

In Public Administration, Multiple Body Parts was the category with the highest number of incidents.

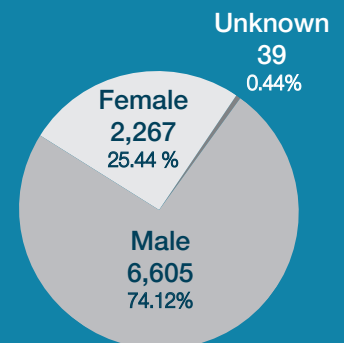


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|--------------------------|-------|
| Multiple Body Parts | 1,887 |
| Knee(s)/Lower Leg(s) | 916 |
| Wrist(s)/Hand(s) | 785 |
| Finger(s)/Thumb(s) | 604 |
| Upper Arm(s)/Shoulder(s) | 577 |
| Back | 553 |
| Ankle(s)/Foot/Feet | 514 |
| Elbow(s)/Lower Arm(s) | 415 |
| Body Systems | 309 |
| No Physical Injury | 304 |



Injury Incidents by Gender

In Public Administration, males had almost three times more incidents than females.





Incidents by Age Group
The 30-39 age group
had the highest number
of injury incidents in
Public Administration.

| Age Group | Public Administration | All Industries Total |
|-----------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| 10-15 | 12 | 65 |
| 16-19 | 173 | 3,972 |
| 20-29 | 1,998 | 22,000 Highest Total |
| 30-39 | 2,278 | 19,717 |
| 40-49 | 1,862 | 17,141 |
| 50-59 | 1,826 | 17,814 |
| 60-69 | 676 | 9,485 |
| 70-79 | 78 | 1,370 |
| 80-89 | 7 | 149 |
| Unknown | 1 | 11 |



Incidents by County
St. Louis County had the most Public
Administration injury incidents.



Top 5 Counties with the Most Incidents

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|------------------|-------|-------------|-----|
| St. Louis County | 1,623 | | |
| Jackson | 1,362 | Greene | 458 |
| St. Louis City | 871 | St. Charles | 320 |

Injury Incidents by Cause

Most public administration injury
incidents are caused by pandemic

| | |
|--------------------------|-----|
| Pandemic | 638 |
| Lifting | 541 |
| Strain or Injury by, NOC | 517 |
| Fellow Worker, Patient | 501 |
| Fall, Slip, Trip, NOC | 469 |

Injury Incidents by Nature

The highest number of Public
Administration injury incidents are
Strain or Tears

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|----------------|------|
| Strain or Tear | 1849 |
| Contusion | 1264 |
| Sprain or Tear | 1206 |
| Laceration | 915 |
| Covid-19 | 671 |

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